# IN SAN FRANCISCO IS BURNING ITSELF OUT

# Practically Under Control from Oakladn, saying that San Francisco is totally ruined. The post office and officers of Agnew's insane asylum near San Jose, including Drs. Kelley and Gell, were killed and twenty injured. All the buildings were demolished. Among the patients 35 were killed and 120 injured. All the buildings were demolished. Except at Telegraph Hill

## 'FRISCO IS TOTALLY RUINED

Three Hundred Thousand People Huddled in Parks and Open Spaces, Without Food, Little Clothing, or Shelter---Bread Selling at a Dollar a Loaf---Government Rushes Relief.

Driven Before the Flames.

tion of San Francisco seemingly were

Food Shortage Threatened.

to shoot all looters. One man on Mar-

the ruins of a jewelry shop, was dis-

San Francisco is not discouraged. Its

best and highest class sheady has be-

for the stricken ones, and the relief

will be immediate and effective. Total

subscriptions of \$180,000 were announc-

Free transportation will be provided by the South Pacific railroad to destitute

Suddenly there was a white

Washington, D. C., April 20.-Gen- by the devastation, and with the failure to check the fire at Van Ness aveeral Function wires that the fire is par-

The President has designated Secretary Metcalf as his personal representa- lack of material. tive to visit San Francisco immediately and ascertain what aid the government

### FIRE DOUDLES BACK ON TELEGRAPA HILL

And Is Now in Full Possession of the Houses There-Main Fire Reaches

New York, April 20.—The Western Larence the procession moved westward. Men and women dragged trunks, packed huge bundles of blankets, boxes of proceived the following from San Francis:

| Stops. | Stops through the streets. From Grant avenue the procession moved westward. Men and women dragged trunks, packed huge bundles of blankets, boxes of proceived the following from San Francis:

"The fire, which heretofore had crept tortionate prices." around the base of Telegraph hill, crept back from the west and is now in full possession of the houses of the hill and will no doubt have everything down to the water front on Van Ness avenue and west of there. The main fire has reached Octavia street and is going hills, resemble one vast circus ground.

fast."

A later Western Union bullet says:

"The fire has been stopped at Octavin street. The fire is now confined to Telegraph hill."

Telegraph hill."

Tents and improvised coverings have been erected everywhere, fire places built in the streets, beds and mattresses thrown down all over the section. The people thus situated are philosophical.

But there is the one great danger for the homeless, that is that the food simply will run out. Every covering the section of the section of the section of the section.

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## RELIEF IS IN SIGHT

River Boats Are Arriving in San Francisco With Food and Water for a Few.

San Francisco, April 20.-River boats are ariving from Sacramento and relief most instances more than trebled. from hunger and thirst is in sight for Reports were received that numerous men caught in the act of looting had a limited number of sufferers.

At dusk last evening the flames over-came the beautiful Fairmount Hotel, which it was thought would stand the

Great Struggle at Van Ness Avenue. The great fighting point in the at. fired upon three times. The fellow then tempt to stay the progress of the flames sought safety in flight, but the reserve the wealthy people. Mayor Schmitz and streets on the south side yesterday. Chief of Pelice Dinan decided that at It is impossible to verify the man Chief of Pelice Dinan decided that at It is impossible to verify the many Van Ness avenue a concentrated at reports of shooting that are coming to tempt must be made to conquer. This the press representatives. Concerted ac-street is 90 feet wide and it was thought tion of any kind in fact is out of the

Accordingly every fire engine in the ing a physical impossibility to com-city and as many fire fighters as could manicate with superior authorities, be summoned were assembled here late vesterday afternoon. vesterday afternoon. Huge cannons were drawn to the avenue to aid the dynamiters, in blowing up the mansions of the millionaires on the west gun to paln for restoration and to care ide of Van Ness avenue. Every available pound of dynamite was hauled to this point and the sight was one of stupendous and appelling havoe as the cannons were trained on the palaces and the shot tore into the walls and top-

pled the buildings in crushing ruins. At other points dynamite was used and house after house was lifted into the air and dropped to the earth a mass of dust and debris. The work was dangerous and many of the men who kent working for 48 hours without sleep and scarcely any food, may have been kill-ed while making this last desperate

The fire line at six o'cloock extended a mile along the cast side of Van Ness avenue from Pacific street to Ellis, All behind this excepting the Russian hill region and a small district lying along the north bench, had been swept clean by the flames, and from the steel hulks buildings and pipes and shafts and engines have been dropped into the mol-ten mass of debris like melted wax.

Says a Message Received From the there. The indicated and in the great struggle was of no gyal. Although a mile of structures and the broad thoroughfare and began eating into the residences on the washing into the residences on the washing into the residences of the washing architect of the treasury has received the broad thoroughfare and began eating into the residences on the washing architect of the treasury has received from the washing to by 12 feet, was also destroyed.

South Paris, Mo., April 20.—The toy their former home.

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TWO TOWNS SAFE.

Stockton and Sacramento Were Not

Los Angeles, April 20.—Stockton and Sacramento are safe. Only five were killed in Oakland. San Francisco mer-cantile houses and insurance firms are opening up for business in Oakland.

FOR REBUILDING UNIVERSITY. Clarence H. Mackay Cabled \$100,000

nue died the last hope of saving any part of San Francisco, unless the flames Last Night. hould die out of themselves through New York, April 20.—Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Postal telegraph cable company, last night telegraphed to Pres. Wheeler of the university of California at Berkeley, saying he will contribute \$100,000 toward the erec-The inhabitants are flocking to the ferries, to the parks, to the military reservations and to the suburbs, Residents of the hillsides in the central por-

### safe from the roaring furnace that was consuming the business section. They watched the towering mounds of flames and speculated as to the extent of the ADDITIONAL SHOCKS FELT AT LOS ANGELES

tion of a new building for the university.

Suddenly there was a whispered alarm up and down the long line of watchers, and they burried away to drag cloth-ing, cooking utensils and scant provi-sions through the streets. From Grant Ordinarily They Would Not Have Caused Fear, But They Did Yesterday Afternoon.

Les Angeles, Calif., April 20.—Two slight shocks were felt here in quick succession at about 12:20 yesterday af-The shocks were sufficiently The people are calm, stunned. They seem not to realize the extent of the calamity.

caused no comment, but business is practically at a standstill on account of the San Francisco disaster, and per-

IEF IS IN SIGHT

FOR FEW SUFFERERS

But there is the one great danger for the homeless, that is that the food supply will run out. Every grocery in Baker, vice president and general manager of the Postal Telegraph company, at 10:30 o clock last night received the police and military prohibit overcharging.

New York, April 20.—William H. Baker, vice president and general manager of the Postal Telegraph company, at 10:30 o clock last night received the sold only one article at a time. In many places the police and military prohibit overcharging.

overcharging.

Possibility of famine is already presenting its hideous face. At best the city never carried more than three days' supply of provision and food, and now with the wholesale districts and ware-liames futile. Three hundred thousand houses wiped out, there is a shortage of will be homeless tonight. By Saturfood already. Prices yesterday were in day San Francisco will be an ash heap.

PEOPLE ARE SUFFERING.

been shot. The military is unusually Thousands Are Now Flocking Out of strict in the enforcement of the order Town. New York, April 20. - A Western

het street who was found digging in Union bulletin says: covered by a naval reserve man and tempt to stay the progress of the flames sought sarety in high, but the reserve was at Van Ness avenue. Back of this man brough him down by running a sufferings. Thousands of homeless peo-lay but heaps of blackened ruins; ahead bayonet through him. The bodies of ple are flowing to Oakland, Alameda are suffering for want of water and

### BAY STATE APPROPRIATES \$100,000 FOR RELIEF

of Governer Guild To-

Boston, April 20.—Governor Guild sent a message to the legislature today suggesting relief for the San Francisco sufferers and the House at once passed ed last night. Arrangements were made for the immediate relief of the needy. a resolution appropriating \$100,000.

GOVERNMENT MONEY SAFE. persons desiring to go to interior \$30,000,000 in Vaults of Burned Sub-

treasury. Last night, for the first time, direct April 20, Secretary Washington. telegraphic communication was re-estab. Shaw received a telegram from Oakland fished between San Fransco and the this morains saying that the sub-treasuury at San Francisco was completely. By the most energetic efforts in the destroyed but \$30,000,000 in the vaults face of the great obstacles the Postal is safe. No word has come from either Telegraph company restored one of its Sub-treasurer Jacobs and Cashier Burnes

**METHODISTS** AT BANQUET

Was Mayor Schmitz's Order Against Social Features of the

San Francisco, April 20.—Mayor Schmitz yesterday afternoon issued the following proclamation to the people of

SHOOT TO KILL.

Looters.

This is the only town in southern California known to have suffered from the shock. Southern Pacific officials here yesterday said the following buildings there, all brick structures, were destroyed: The Brawley bank building, Paulin building and the principal merchandise buildings of the town.

In addition, dozens of adobe houses were razed. So far as known, there were no fatalities, Brawley is about two years old and had a population of about 500.

Bellow, Dr. W. L. Maderson decrease address.

BOY KEPT AS SLAVE.

A Harrowing Tale Told in City of Burlington.

Burlington, April 20.—George F. Howard of Bolton, has just escaped from a period of slavery in the backwoods of Keene Valley, N. Y., and tells a harrowing tale of his abduction and suffering.

"In the face of so terrible and appailng a national calamity as that which has befallen San Francisco, the outpouring of the nation's aid should as far as possible be entrusted to the American Red Cross, the national organization best fitted to undertake such relief work. A specially appointed Red Cross agent, Dr. Edward Divine, starts today from New York for California to cooperate there with the Red Cross so-ciety's branch in the work of relief. "In order that this work may be well systemized, and in order that the tributions which I am sure will flow in with lavish generosity, may be wise-ly administered. I appeal to the people of the United States, to all cities, chambers of commerce, beards of trade, relief committees and individuals to express their sympathy and render their aid by contributions to the American National Red Cross. They can be sent to the Hon. Charles Hallam Keep, Red Cross treasurer, Washington, D. C., Jacob H. Schiff, New York Red Cross treasurer, or "General Funston has given out thousands of tents to the unfortunates and has done everything to relieve their sufferings. Thousands of homeless pao.

House Passed Resolution on Message west at 3.30 p. m. Almost certain now A report from the Mary Fletcher hos-of Governor Guild To. ordered troops from Monterey and was paralyzed and that he was injured everything is going as well as could be internally. The exact extent of his expected. On account of confusion, it has been impossible to locate individuals inquired for but attention will be given that matter as soon as practicable.

(Signed) "FUNSTON, Commanding," Another desputch from Gen Funston

Inst night said:

"Official report at police headquarters this date states that the sub-treasury is entirely destroyed by fire with the exception of the vaults which contain all cash on hand. Suitable guards have last night said:
"Official report at police headquarters cash on hand. Suitable guards have other adjoining buildings and nucle been ordered to protect this money.

((Signed))

((Signed))

"FUNSTON Commanding." DROWNED WHILE CANOEING.

Lake.

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Given In Honor of Bishop Hamilton

One Hundred Covers Laid - Occa-

worst evening up for business in Oakland.

IN THE COUNTRY.

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In the Statement May by a Man Who Went Through the Baltimore Fire and the St. Louis Cyclone.

Los Angeles, April 20.—Richard Cole, a guest at the Palace Hotel in San Francisco, who has arrived here, says that he estimates that not over 300 people were killed by the earthquake. He adds: "I went through the Baltimore Francisco, who has arrived here, says that he estimates that not over 300 people were killed by the earthquake. He adds: "I went through the Baltimore from darkness until daylight every night until order is restored.

Town wipe Out.

Brawley Only Town in Southern California to Suffer. the anniversary of the Sunday School Union was held, the Rev. C. G. Corse being the chairman. The speaker was the Rev. Dr. J. T. McFarland. The an-Los Angeles, April 20.—Reports from Brawley, a small town in San Delgo county, on the South Pacific, 120 miles south of Los Angeles, state that the town was practically wiped out by the earthquake.

This is the only town in southern Callifornia brown to large sufficient from the courted last evening. The Rev. F. M. Barnes of Waitsfield presided and the Rev. Dr. W. T. Anderson delivered an address.

BREAD \$1 A LOAF.

Soo,ooo People Are Flocking Shelterless to Parks.

San Francisco. April 20.—Bread is selling for a delhar a loaf. Three hundred thousand people are huddled in the parks and opens spaces without food, little clothing or shelter. Relief shands have been established and funds are coming, but food is needed.

PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION.

Appeals for Aid Through the Red Cross Society.

Washington, April 20.—President Roosevelt yesterday issued the following proclamation:

"In the face of so terrible and appail"

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and taken to Bolton, little the worse for the experience. The father had been dangerously ill and had not been notified, for that reason, of his son's dis-

appearance. BADLY HURT IN ELEVATOR. Burlington Boy Taken to Hospital Par-

tions and the elevator floor. His cries horought help and E. E. Abbott released fair without the help of her parents, the elevator and sent it downwards. Before leaving the guests left many remembrances which were greatly appropriate the first part of the floor and head fair without the help of her parents. Before leaving the guests left many remembrances which were greatly appreciated by Mr. and Mrs. Wells. later. The physicians made a hasty examination of the boy, who had be-come unconscious, and ordered his re-moval to the Mary Fletcher hospital in the ambulance.

schiff, New York Red Cross treasurers to be forwarded by telegraph from Washing ton to the Red Cross agents and officers in California. (Signed)

"Theodore Rossevelt."

FUNSTON REPORTS FAILURE.

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Tells That Fire Crossed Van Ness Avea Last Night.

Washington, April 20.—The war department received the following from General Funston last night:

"Fire crosses Van Ness avenue to the local content of the clevator at the clevator at the clevator at the clevator at the ground floor and was going up. When he door and helieving he had stopped the clevator in ground floor and stopped the clevator in ground floor and stopped the clevator in the combined floor state's attorney in the combined the clevator of the N. D. Phelps company at the secretary of state's edice in Montpelier. The purposes set up in the articles are to do a general mercantile business, including plumbing, heating and steam fitting, and previous to that was a student at the combined floor and was brought to a stop by the boy's body being wedged between the partitions of the Syracuse, N. Y., university, and previous to that was a student at \$253 each. The signers of the papers are Noison D. Phelps, if. A. Richardson, born in East Clifton, Quebec, and eame tilions.

"Fire crosses Van Ness avenue to the combined for the open day to make the will be a candidate for the norm into for state's attorney in the combined for the open day the change in ownership of the Phelps hardware store comes the filt that he will be a candidate for the norm into for state's attorney in the combined floor and was attorney in the combined floor and was attorney in the combined floor and delevator floor the papers and previous to that was a student at the Phelps hardware store comes the filt that he will be a candidate for the norm into for state's attorney in the combined floor and was attorney in th

CAUSE OF FIRE UNCERTAIN. Loss in Burlington \$3,100-Many Ani-

mals Killed.

after five o'clock and an alarm was

sent in from box 61. In a portion of the building were some chicken brooders heated by oil Harry Ryder Lost Life in Canobie lamps. An effort was at first made to Loss Is \$4,000,000 With Two Lives Salem Depot, N. H., April 20.—Harry but it proved unavailing and practically Ryder, as of Arthur Ryder, a druggist everything was destroyed. The barn in Lawrence, was drowned at Canobie was 45 by 32 feet in size and two stor-

GARRITY-CALDER

Marriage Was Triple Cause for Celebration in W. W. Calder's Home.

tion in W. W. Calder's Home.

Miss Hallie W Calder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Calder, and Thomas C. Garrity, both of this city, were married last evening at eight o'clock at the parochial home, the Rev. Fr. Cray officiating. Miss Agues Garrity acted as bride's maid and Charles Gallagher as best man. The bride was becomingly gowned in a dress of Chinasilk trimmed with white silk lace, and she were a large white hat. The bride's maid were a dress of silver gray.

Following the ceremony the bridal party returned to the home of the bride on Maple avenue where a wedding supper was served to several relatives and a few intimate friends of the contracting parties. The house was beautifully decorated with palms and potted ferns.

The day was a triple celebration at the Calder home, in that it was the anniversary of the birth of Mr. Calder and his son William, as well as being the day of his daughter's wedding.

The happy couple left on the midnight train for New York, where they will visit for a short time at the home of the bride's sister.

My Garrity is a propular young man

Mr. Garrity is a popular young man of this city, he being very well liked by all who know him. He is tool sharpener, employed at McDonald and Buchan's and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Garrity of Circle street. The Thomas Garrity of Circle street. The bride is well known and popular in this city and Montpelier. She has been employed as bookkeeper at the coal offer to Calder & Richardson.

On their return to this city, Mr and Mrs. Garrity will reside at the home of the bride's parents on Maple avenue.

MONTPELIER TELEGRAPHS \$1,000 TO SAN FRANCISCO

Meeting of Citizens Held Last Night and Mayor Haley Sends Message of Condolence to Mayor

ON 25th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wells Unexpectedly Entertained Their Friends

About 40 of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Wells walked in on them

M. M. GORDON A CANDIDATE.

RECEIVES NO WORD. OF Miss Sadie Lowrey, Formerly of

DIED OF BLOOD POISONING. Frank Russell of East Calais Died Yesterday.

East Calais, April 20.—Frank Russell, aged 62 years, died at his bome in this village yesterday, as the result of blood The funeral will be held tomorrow.

## **GRANITE IS** STILL WANTED

For the Material In New Aldrich Library Building

PROJECT IS UNDER WAY

to See if Plans Can Bo

The popular desire that the Akirlok Public Libary building be of granter refuses to be downed. Last might a number of men, representing the varied interests of the city gathered and discussed quite thoroughly the most feasible plans to have an all-granite structure on the library lot at the corner of Washington and Elm streets. There were at the meeting representatives of the library fund trustees granite manufacturers, granite cutters, morchants and others, and as a result of the delibrations a committee was chosen to select a ways and means committee. The men chasen to pick the ways and means committee were J. W. McDonald, Mayor Barclay, P. F. McCarthy and George N. Tilden.

Tilden.

This forenoon the committee met and chose the following ways and means committee: Mayor Barclay, John Robins, William Jack, President Anderson of the granite cutters' union, John Stephens and William Alexander. As chairman of the committee Mayor Barclay has called a meeting for tomorrow (Saturday) evening.

Schmitz.

Montpelier, April 20.—In response to a call by Mayor Haley, a meeting of the citzens was held last evening in the citzens was held last evening in the city court room to consider the question of sending aid to the sufferers at San Francisco. Mayor Haley presided and E. A. Nutt was elected secretary.

After some discussion as to the best method to pursue, it was voted to request Mayor Haley to wire the mayor of San Francisco to draw on the city treasurer of Montpelier at sight for \$1,000 to be expended by him as he thinks best. Mayor Haley was also requested to extend to Mayor Schmitz the profound sympathy of the citizens of the capital of the Green Mountain state for the stricken ones in the city of which he is the official head.

Inasmuch as funds cannot legally be taken from the city treasury for such purposes, Mayor Healey was later instructed by vote of the meeting to appoint a committee of five to sclicit subscriptions to reimburse the city treasury for the \$1,000 telegraphed last night.

April 20, to Discuss

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Mayor Barclay has called a meeting of citizens for 7:30 o'clock Monday evening at the city hall to discuss plans for aiding the California sufferers in the recent disaster. A large attendance is looked for.

Manager Hoban of the Barre opera house has offered the use of the house for a public entertainment, the proceeds of which to go to the relief of the sufferers.

A VERY OLD NEWSPAPER.

J. E. Rollins Has One That Is Over a Century Old.

Burlington, April 20.—Frank Rivers, the 19-year old son of Thomas Rivers of Middlebury, who is employed at the Hotel Burlington as a bell boy, was the victim of a terrible accident yesterday afternon about 1:30 o'clock, by being crushed between the elevator partition of the host and hostess, the young Among the interesting relies of long or J. F. Rollins, who resides on the cast hill in the Town of Barre. The newspaper is nearly 101 years old, and is named "Spooner's Vermont Journal," printed at Windsor, Vt., by Alden Spooner, "printer of the laws of the union." The date of this issue is May 21, 1805, volume XXII, No. 1139. The paper is in a remarkably good state of preservation, although yellowed and frayed at the edges. Mr. Rollins prizes the article very highly.

CAPITAL STOCK OF \$25,000.

Will Be in the Contest for State's At. For the N. D. Phelps Company to Do

Good Workman Loses Fingers.

RECEIVES NO WORD.

Bethel, April 20.—Duffy Ramsey, who ran the splitting machine at Billings & Edmunds' bobbin factory yesterday morning, lost the two middle fingers of his right hand at the second joint city, is in San Francisco and thus far while at work. When carried to the no word has been received form her, office of Dr. Green, the fingers were She lived on Valencia street in the hanging only by the skin, as amputation

TALK OF THE TOWN.

The meeting of the Loyal Temperance Legion has been postponed.

Miss Carrie Draper went to her home in Randolph this evening to spend Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Perry went to St. Johnsbury last night for a visit with friends. Mrs. M. M. Gordon went to Bethel

this afterneon for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. T. Goodfellow went South Paris, Me., April 20.—The toy their former home.